

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jack K. Hosking  
 Serial No.: 10/689,452  
 Conf. No.: 4183  
 Filed: October 20, 2003  
 For: RAIL FASTENER DRIVER WITH ENHANCED  
 FASTENER POSITIONING  
 Art Unit: 3617  
 Examiner: Lee, Mark T.



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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

**Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended**

	As Amended		Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	21	-	21	=	0	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	x \$ 86.00	= \$ 0
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims						\$290.00	= \$ 0
						Total Additional Fee	\$ 0
						Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)	\$

(X) Amendment A.

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 20, 2004 in the above-identified application. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: